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In re Application of:

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Serial No:

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Examiner: Khoa D. Huynh

Filed:

October 3, 2003

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For: Automatic Flushing Actuator for

Tank Style Toilets

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated January 11, 2006 for a period of two month(s).

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| | Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. | | | | | | | |
| Dated: June 9, 2006 Mircea A. Tipescu Registration No. 53,690 Attorney for Applicant | | | | | | | | |

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